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at this office.

The skating rink was the centre of

attraction for many on Thanksgiving

day.

W. Alger, of this place, has just re-

turned from a hunting trip bringing in

eight deer.

The general utility man of the AYA-

LANCHE office, has gone to Chicago on

a short visit.

Remember the Social at Grayling

Hall on Friday evening, and do not

fail to attend it.

Miss West has given first class satis-

faction and leaves with good testimo-

nials from the officials.

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turned from a two month's visit to

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ern Line was in the city last week.

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desirable village lot. He will give

bargains that will astonish the nation.

No laborer should go into the woods

without having first purchased a certi-

ficate of admission to the Grayling

flap.

The Railroad carpenters have been

putting in a stock yard this week and

making other improvements about the

depot here.

Shopkeepers brought in a very large

bear and cub, yesterday, which he had

killed in Forest, where he reports big

skins of deer.

N. H. Evans, of South Branch, is

building a garage, the latest and the

most approved plan. So says the Ro-

common News.

Don't fail to attend the Social at the

Hall on Friday evening.

A little fog and then

is relieved by the best of men.

The first accident of the season, at the

skating rink, occurred on last Tues-

day. For further particulars, enquire

of Dr. Woodworth.

Tough—J. Cherron, found a dog

key on the street, which the owner can

have, by calling at this office, and pay-

ing for this notice.

Members of Margit Post, Grand Army

of the Republic should meet to

attend the regular meeting on Sat-

urday evening, the 13th.

On Thanksgiving leave a blessing.

Many days must now elapse

# Advertisement in the AVALANCHE.

For Job Work of all kinds call at the

AVALANCHE office.

The Detroit News says: "The fire

which closed out the office of the

Register a few days ago, afforded it

the first cleaning out it ever had. Jen-

kings, the editor, is a queer chap, and

kept the queerest print shop in Michi-

gan. We have seen another.

A writer in the Maritime Pioneer

indicates that the Supervisors got very

remarkable exchange bills allowed when

they meet in session. They never en-

dow down in this country, but allow-

them without delay. But printer's

bills are cut without mercy.

J. M. Cogg has went into partner-

ship with Messrs. Saunders & Owens in

the skating rink business. They will

build an addition to the rink of 25 or

30 feet in length, which will give them

at the rink room they require, and make

the rink second to no other in this por-

tion of the country.

R. W. Ward & Co., publishers of the

Rosecommon News, have been awarded

the state printing, as against A. E.

Zahn, of the Pioneer. The printing of

the democratic tickets and his sup-

port of that ticket in this county will

hardly balance the loss of the state pa-

tronsage, but accounts for the change.

Thanksgiving Day

Was generally observed in Grayling

Business houses were closed a portion

of the day, and the rest given to en-

joyment in the way of amusement

and dining. Stuffed turkey and

veal was the general dish which

ticked the palate of the epicureans

and the skating rink was the prin-

cipal attraction in the way of amuse-

ment. Rev. G. S. Weir, delivered a

sermon in the evening, to a small con-

gregation, who believed that a sermon

was as necessary on Thanksgiving day,

as it is on Easter day, in a turkey, and

it was appropriate to the occasion, al-

though he seemed to think as turkeys

were inclined to render thanks but one

day in the year, by wholesale. He ad-

vised us to think that a great many per-

sons wanted to do their eating for the

year in the same manner. We believe

he must have been reading the following

excerpt of the words engraved by

cutting too much turkey and thereby

causing a fourth stomach.

He had turkey baked and roasted;

He had turkey boned and fried;

He had turkey stuffed with oysters;

He had turkey cut and dried.

Yes, he ate all styles of turkey;

Alas, it was a sweet Thanksgiving.

Now the doctors are consulting

On the stomach of the thing.

Don't sit up upon the sofa

With a most unwholesome pain.

He is willing, twisting, twisting,

And twisting in the brain.

But he's only a poor instance

Of the thousands who will pay

For an overdose of turkey.

Which they ate Thanksgiving day.

Social.

There will be combined Neck Tie and

Basket Social held at Grayling Hall,

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# Statement of the Amount of Liquor

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May 5, '94, Mrs. Larson, 300.00

May 5, '94, J. S. Hartwick, 300.00

June 5, '94, Sanderson & Toney, 275.00

Total, \$1,175.00

I certify the above statement to be

correct.

G. M. F. DAVIS,

Co. Treasurer.

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